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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION	:	
OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF:	:	
	:	Administrative Action
DEAN A. AMBROSE, D.O.	:	
LICENSE NO. MB48547	:	INTERIM CONSENT ORDER
	:	
TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY	:	
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	

This matter was opened to the State Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") upon the filing of a Verified Complaint and an Order to Show Cause on August 6, 2004, with an adjourned return date of September 8, 2004. The Verified Complaint charged that Respondent, Dr. Dean A. Ambrose's continuing practice of medicine presented a clear and imminent danger to the public. Respondent sought an adjournment of the return date of the Order to Show Cause until the next Board meeting, presently scheduled for October 14, 2004, and agreed to voluntarily surrender his license to practice medicine

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until the matter is heard, Respondent further represented that he would make all necessary financial arrangements with the Physicians' Health Program of the Medical Society of New Jersey ("PHP") so that his hair sample, collected on August 11, 2004, can be tested for meperidine (Demerol). Respondent further represented he would forward the original certified copy of patient T.D.'s<sup>1</sup> records no later than September 10, 2004. Respondent further represented that he would continue to undergo urine monitoring under the auspices of the PHP, to include testing for meperidine and that he would become current in all payments to the PHP so that appropriate testing can be carried out.

The Board, finding the within disposition to be adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare,

IT IS, therefore on this 7th day of September, 2004,

ORDERED AND AGREED that:

1. Dean A. Ambrose, D.O. is hereby granted leave and shall continue the voluntarily surrender his license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey pending the disposition of the Order to Show Cause and further Order of the Board.

2. Dr. Ambrose shall appear at the PHP within two (2) weeks to make necessary financial arrangements for the completion of meperidine testing on his hair sample given on August 11, 2004.

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<sup>1</sup>The patient's full name is known to Respondent.

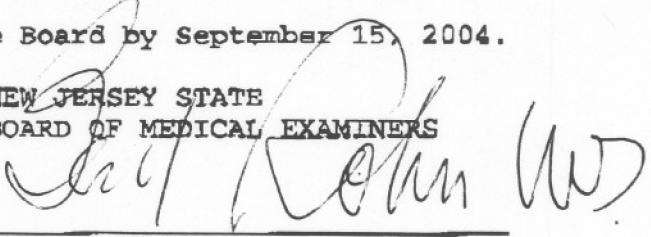
3. Dr. Ambrose shall Forward the original certified copy of the patient record for T.D. to Siobhan B. Krier, DAG, 124 Halsey Street, 5th Floor, Newark, New Jersey, no later than September 10, 2004.

4. Dr. Ambrose shall continue to undergo urine screens under the auspices of the PHP, to include testing for meperidine, and he shall be responsible for additional expense involved, which will be billed to him pursuant to the PHP's usual billing procedures.


5. Dr. Ambrose shall, through counsel, provide an Answer to the Amended Complaint filed with the Board by September 15, 2004.

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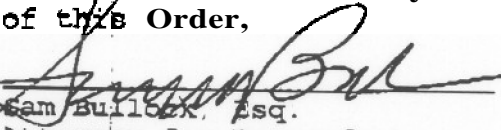
By:

  
Bernard Robins, M.D., F.A.C.P.

I have read and understood the within Order and agree to be bound by its terms.

  
Dean A. Ambrose, D.O.

Consent is hereby given  
as to the form and entry  
of this Order,

  
Sam Bullock, Esq.  
Attorney for Respondent